

Highlights

- In February, **1,544 m³ of relief items were** received into common storage on behalf of **4 organisations** making it a total of **4,316 m³ of relief items** stored on behalf of **16 organisations** in Madhu Chara, Balukhali, and Teknaf logistics hubs in Cox's Bazar district.
- The Logistics Sector road assessment exercise has mapped **340 km** out of the expected total of 600 km of roads inside the camps, including their elevation and width. The exercise has covered all the primary roads and is gradually moving towards secondary roads.
- The Logistics Sector conducted **two trainings** in February; one MSU set-up training in Bangla with **9 participants** in the DRC Ukhiya warehouse and one Medical Commodities and Warehouse Management training facilitated by IOM and WHO with **20 participants** from **18 organisations**.
- A summary of traffic count data was presented to Logistics Sector partners showing seven locations (five entry points and two locations) that had been monitored by the type of vehicles and traffic fluctuation times experienced over the past two months.
- A Log.ie workshop was held on 19 February. **18 participants** from **10 different** organisations gathered for a live demonstration of the information and data collection tool. Together, they identified and discussed logistics gaps and learned about the preparedness project.



Medical Commodity and Warehouse Management Training



*Presenting the Logistics Cluster/ Sector concept in
AUIB*

Background

In 2020, the Logistics Sector continues to work with partners to address common logistics gaps and challenges in Cox's Bazar and ensure an efficient humanitarian response. The Rohingya Response Strategy maintains focus on strengthening collaboration amongst international and national partners, synchronising logistics decisions, producing and sharing key information, and facilitating access to common logistics services to supporting partners' logistics operations.

In the lead-up to the monsoon and ensuing cyclone seasons, the Logistics Sector is focusing efforts on planning and reinforcing partner capacities and preparedness. To support effective decision making, the Logistics Sector provides technical logistics advice and provides access to facilities for organisations facing supply chain challenges.

<https://logcluster.org/sector/bangl17>

Coordination & information management

- The Logistics Sector conducted one Logistics Sector Coordination Meeting in February attended by **20 organisations** including national NGOs, INGOs, and UN agencies.
- Five information management products were published on the [Logistics Sector website](#) in February.
- The [Annual Overview Infographics 2019](#) was published on the Logistics Sector website.
- A Log.ie workshop was held on 19 February with 18 participants from 10 different organisations at the WFP office in Cox's Bazar. Log.ie can be accessed via the [Log.ie system](#) and [Logistics Sector Bangladesh website](#). It is still under development and is being populated by suggestions that came out of the workshop. Log.ie should be fully operational by the end of March.
- The Logistics Sector team participated/presented in a seminar organised by the American International University – Bangladesh (AIUB). The main objective of the seminar was to explore some of the fundamental differences between the commercial and humanitarian supply chains, the functionality of the cluster in emergency response at global and country levels and activities in the Rohingya response. Students and professors from the Operations and Supply Chain Management department attended.



Group photograph after completing the Medical Commodities and Warehouse Management training conducted by the Logistics Sector and facilitated by IOM and WHO.

Logistics Services

- In February, **1,544 m³ (711 mt) of relief items** were received into common storage on behalf of **4 organisations** making it a total of **4,316 m³ stored** on behalf of **16 organisations** in Madhu Chara, Balukhali, and Teknaf logistics hubs in the Cox's Bazar district. Items stored included sewing machines, dignity kits, soap and hygiene kits.
- Between October 2017 and February 2020, the Logistics Sector received a total of **40,183 m³ (12,793 mt) of relief items** for storage on behalf of **35 organisations**.

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